CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K November 16, 2015

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 13, 2015

Chemical Financial Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as

Specified in its Charter)

Michigan000-0818538-2022454(State or Other Jurisdiction(Commission (IRS Employerof Incorporation)File Number) Identification No.)

235 E. Main Street

48640

Midland, Michigan

(Zip Code)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(989) 839-5350**

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

Chemical Financial Corporation (the "Corporation") completed the consolidation of its subsidiary banks, The Bank of Holland and The Bank of Northern Michigan with and into Chemical Bank, as of the close of business on November 13, 2015. As a result, the Corporation now operates through a single subsidiary bank, Chemical Bank.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Dated: November 13, 2015

(Registrant)

/s/ Lori A. Gwizdala Lori A. Gwizdala

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial

Officer and Treasurer